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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2661
INFO AMEMBASSY ACCRA
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BRUSSELS ALSO FOR USEEC
E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: PINR, PEPR, TU
SUBJ: AMBASSADORIAL ASSIGNMENTS BECOME OFFICIAL
REF: ANKARA 4965 (NOTAL)

1. OFFICIAL GAZETTE OF JULY 15, 1978, CONTAINED COUNCIL OF
MINISTERS' DECREE ANNOUNCING 67 AMBASSADORIAL CHANGES,
INCLUDING 44 NEW POSTINGS AND 23 AMBASSADORS RECALLED TO
THE MFA. LIST OF ASSIGNMENTS PROVIDED REFTEL CONFIRMED
EXCEPT FOR AMBASSADORS TO AMMAN, BANGKOK, DAMASCUS,
AND JAKARTA.

2. LISTING OF ADDITIONAL ASSIGNMENTS, WITH PREVIOUS POSTINGS
NOTED IN PARENTHESES, ARE AS FOLLOWS:
ACCRA CELAL AKBAY (DUBLIN)
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ADDIS ABABA SUPIH MERIC (MFA)
AMMAN OZER TEVS (NAIROBI)
BANGKOK EROL CELASUN (MFA)
BEIRUT NEJAT AYDIN (MFA)
BELGRADE HIKMET OZKAN (TRIPOLI)
CARACAS SADI AKARCALIOGLU (LONDON CONGEN)
DACC A EKREM GOKSIN (MFA)
DAMASCUS AYDIN ALACAKAPTAN (VATICAN)
DUBLIN A. ASIM AKYAMAC (TEL AVIV)
JAKARTA HALUK KOCAMAN (MFA)
LISBON NEJAT BALKAN (PARIS-DCM)
MEXICO CITY OGUZ GOKMEN (BELGRADE)
PEKING OKTAY CANKARDES (THE HAGUE)
PRAGUE OSMAN BASMAN (MFA)
TEL AVIV METIN SIRMAN (MFAL)
TRIPOLI MUSTAFA ASULA (SAN FRANCISCO CONGEN)
TUNIS MUAMMER AKCER (PARIS CONGEN)
3. AMBASSADORS CALLED BACK TO ANKARA WITHOUT ASSIGNMENT
INCLUDE:
TURGUT MENEMENCIOGLU (FROM LONDON)
COSKUN KIRCA (FROM NATO)
ILTER TURKMEN (FROM THE UN)

FARUK SAHINBAS (FROM OTTAWA)
FUAT DOGU (FROM LISBON)

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ADNAN BULAK (FROM PEKING)
TEVFIK SARACOGLU (FROM EEC)
OZDEMIR YIGIT (FROM COPENHAGEN)
SEFIK FENMEN (FROM DAMASCUS)
EFDAL DERINGIL (FROM WARSAW)
TURGUT ILKAN (FROM BERLIN)
FAIK MELEK (FROM ALGIERS)
RAHMI GUMRUKCUOGLU (FROM TEHRAN)
HIKMET BENSAN (FROM CANBERRA)
BERDUK OLGACAY (FROM BRASILIA)
RUSTU VEYSELLI (FROM CARACAS)
HASAN ISTINYELI (FROM RABAT)
SAHIN UZGOREN (FROM AMMAN)
HALUK SAYINSOY (FROM PRAGUE)
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SAVLET AKTUG (FROM TUNIS)
NECDET OZMEN (CHARGE IN JUDDAH)
SULHI DISLIOGLU (FROM BRUSSELS)
MUSTAFA KENANOGLU (CHARGE IN MEXICO CITY)

4. AS NOTED REFTTEL, WE WILL FORWARD TO WASHINGTON AND COUNTRY OF ASSIGNMENT BIOGRAPHIC BACKGROUND ON EACH NEWLY APPOINTED AMBASSADOR.

5. COMMENT: PUBLICATION OF LONG LIST OF AMBASSADORIAL ASSIGNMENTS IN OFFICIAL GAZETTE REPRESENTS IMPORTANT ACCOMPLISHMENT FOR ECEVIT GOVERNMENT. PREDECESSOR

COALITIONS UNDER LEADERSHIP OF DEMIREL WERE UNABLE TO
MAKE APPOINTMENTS BECAUSE OF BICKERING AMONG COALITION
PARTNERS (ONE OF WHICH INSISTED THAT AMBASSADORS TO ISLAMIC
COUNTRIES MUST BE DEVOUT MUSLIMS) AND REQUIREMENT THAT
AMBASSADORIAL ASSIGNMENTS BE APPROVED BY ALL CABINET
OFFICIALS. SOME NEW AMBASSADORS HAVE ALREADY PROCEEDED
TO THEIR COUNTRY OF ASSIGNMENT, ESPECIALLY WHERE AMBASSADORIAL
POSITION HAS BEEN OPEN, AND OTHERS WITH WHOM WE HAVE TALKED
SAY THEY ANTICIPATE ARRIVAL AT NEW POSTS IN AUGUST OR
SEPTEMBER. END COMMENT
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